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Thirteen 10,000 ton merchant ships which are intended for use in the Polish service to the Far East are now in the final stages of planning. No actual construction on these ships has commenced as yet since with the exception of a few insignificant craft the Polish shipyards are working exclusively on Soviet orders. Construction will commence in the Gdansk (Danzig) shipyards no earlier than the end of 1954. This date has been scheduled but depends entirely on the degree of preoccupation with Soviet interests.

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